

## Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, JAN. 28, 1902.

## LOCAL MATTERS

On rise tomorrow at 7:16 a. m. and set 5:23 p. m. High water at 11:28 a. m. and 11:45 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair, continued cold tonight and Wednesday; fresh northerly wind.

**DEATH OF AN ALEXANDRIAN.**—Mr. Clifton Hewitt Smith, son of the late Francis L. Smith of this city, died at his home in New York City last night after a short illness from pneumonia. The deceased was born in Alexandria August 19, 1841, and in early life began the acquisition of his education here and later entered the Virginia Military Institute at Lexington. At the outbreak of the war between the States he became a member of the Confederate army, serving throughout the four years' conflict. He was at one time Captain and Assistant Adjutant General on General Beauregard's staff, and was at the siege of Fort Morgan, Mobile, where he was taken prisoner. Later he was conveyed to Fort Lafayette. After the close of the war he removed to New York where he entered business and had been for many years a member of the New York Stock Exchange. The deceased was well-known to most Alexandrians, among whom he moved during the early portion of his life, and his courteous bearing and kindly nature rendered him deservedly popular with them all. His death, especially by the friends of his youth, who were ever glad to welcome him to the periodical visits he made to his old home. His mother, now in the advanced evening of life, and others to whom he was dear and dear have the earnest sympathy of their many friends and acquaintances in their bereavement.

**TO REBUILD AQUEDUCT BRIDGE.**—Mr. McMillan introduced a bill in the Senate yesterday which provides for the reconstruction of the Aqueduct bridge, at a cost of \$800,000. This bill provides that this work shall be done under the direction of the Secretary of War, one-half of the cost to be charged against the District of Columbia. Serious defects in the piers of the Aqueduct bridge were discovered a couple of years ago and Congress made an appropriation to strengthen the piers and to make them safe as far as possible. The piers had very wide cracks in certain places and these have been filled up with masonry. The bridge is regarded as entirely safe at the present time, but is not looked upon as sufficiently strong to stand the strain that would probably be put upon such a bridge during the course of a number of years. When the work of repairing it was begun it was recommended by the War Department that a new bridge would be desirable to entirely replace the present structure.

**ENTERTAINMENT.**—As has already been announced in the Gazette, the Men's Aid Society of the Baptist Church will give their first entertainment at the Opera House on Thursday evening, Miss Edith M. Norton, of New York, who will take part in the entertainment, is a humorous and dramatic reciter of rare ability and will please any audience. Her work embraces a wide range of selections and she delights her audience wherever she appears. Another most enjoyable feature of the entertainment will be the singing by the Birminghams Quartette, of Washington, composed of Messrs. Birch, Rensch, Hicks and Moore. Among some of the recitations of Miss Norton will be the following: "A Marital Controversy," "One, Two, Three," "Prior to Miss Bell," "Appearance," "Molly," "The Arch-bishop's X-mas Gift," "My Rival," "Dutton Laidly," "Picnic Times," "The Haying of Valiant," "Aunt Elmore's Hero."

**A TERRIBLE MISTAKE.**—Ex-Alderman W. B. Doble was the victim of a terrible mistake at St. Asaph yesterday, where he is employed. During a lull in the work he and a fellow employee engaged in some pleasant conversation. Mr. Doble picked up a small vessel of water and cast the contents at his friend. The latter retaliated by grasping a vessel supposed to contain water, but which was filled with muriatic acid, and threw it on Mr. Doble. Some of the acid went into his eyes and blinded him. He was placed in a conveyance and taken to his home in this city where he was attended by Dr. Jones. It is feared he will lose the sight of one of his eyes. The other eye is also injured and portions of his forehead were burned. On a fourth of July several years ago Mr. Doble was terribly burned on the face and eyes by the premature discharge of a toy cannon he was firing.

**A CASE OF SMALLPOX.**—William Davis, colored, living at No. 1418 King street, who has recently been indisposed, was suspected of being a sufferer from smallpox, and this morning Mr. Stephen Taylor, driver of the Columbia line wagon, who had obtained the information, notified police headquarters. Dr. Gorman, Health Officer, investigated the case and found Davis to be suffering from a mild type of this disease. The patient and his household have been strictly quarantined. Davis has been at work at one of the brick yards in the county. The type of the disease from which the man is suffering is identical with that which prevailed during the winter of 1898-1899—the mildest form in which it exists—and there is no apprehension that other cases will follow.

**MUSICAL.**—The complimentary musical under the auspices of the Young Men's Sociality Lyceum at their hall on Duke street last night was one of the most interesting and entertaining affairs ever given by that organization. A large audience was present and all were well pleased with the evening's enjoyment. The participants which included some of the leading local and Washington talent acquitted themselves admirably and the entertainment proved highly successful in every particular. It was planned under the direction of Rev. Father M. J. Ahern, assistant rector of St. Mary's Church.

The schooner George W. McFadden, which has just completed unloading a cargo of phosphate rock at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf for the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, left today for Baltimore, where she will load for a southern port.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.**—Take LAXATIVE BROMO-QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

**STRANDED.**—A woman who gave her name as Mary Briner, accompanied by her ten year old son, applied for lodging at the station house last night. They were given their supper and this morning they showed no disposition to leave until furnished with transportation to Richmond. The woman said she had a husband, but his whereabouts were unknown to her, that she had not seen him for a year, that she was endeavoring to reach her son, who lived near Richmond and that she was a native of Pennsylvania and had arrived here yesterday from Washington. Mayor Simpson told her she should have applied to the authorities of that city for transportation, as there was no fund set aside here for such purpose. He directed that the woman and boy be furnished with breakfast and told them they must retrace their steps to Washington.

**ANOTHER FACTORY.**—It was stated in the Gazette recently that negotiations were in progress toward the establishment of a cerealine factory in this city and that those interested were examining certain buildings in this city in order to see if they could be utilized. The old Mount Vernon Cotton Factory and the G. R. Hill Bakery were among the buildings inspected, and it is understood that the latter has been selected as best suited for the purposes. Arrangements will shortly be made for making certain alterations in the old bakery, and as soon as possible operations will be commenced. The company which is to operate the plant will employ, it is believed, about two hundred people when their plant shall get fully under way. They will prepare crushed wheat, oats and other package goods made from cereals.

**PERSONALS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Julius Wolf entertained a number of their friends last night at a wooden wedding at their home on south Fairfax street. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Rev. and Mrs. Micon, of Seminary Hill, this evening tendered a reception to their son, Rev. Granville Micon and his bride, which was largely attended.

Mr. Leonard Marbury has gone to Richmond to attend a meeting of the State democratic committee.

Miss Edith Hill is visiting Miss Edna Forbes in Richmond.

**NEW WATER TANK.**—The Southern Railway Company is about to obliterate another old landmark—the water tank which has stood for nearly half a century at the intersection of Henry and Wolfe streets, or at the west entrance to the former round house. They are constructing a tank sixty feet high in the southern end of the square bounded by Henry, Fayette, Wolfe and Wilkes streets, which was recently enclosed by the company and where the new carport shop, dynamo and air pumps have been placed. The object is to remove the water pipes from under the tracks at the depot proper.

**A. P. V. A.**—A meeting of the Mount Vernon branch of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities was held at the Business Men's League rooms last night. There was a large attendance and steps were taken to form a society for the preservation of historic Alexandria. There was no election of officers, but a committee was appointed to select them and their names will be submitted at a subsequent meeting.

**DEATH FROM PNEUMONIA.**—Mr. Ezekiel Code, whose illness from pneumonia had been noticed in the Gazette, died at his home on Duke street last night. The deceased in late years had suffered six times from the disease which finally proved fatal. The deceased was 75 years old. He was born in Philadelphia and came to Alexandria shortly after the civil war, where he had remained ever since. He leaves a number of relatives including several great-grandchildren.

**A PECULIAR CONTEST.**—Washington navy yard employees, who are satisfied with fifteen days' annual leave, are at danger points with other workers who will not be content with less than thirty days. A contest is already in progress, and may eventually be carried before Congress. The employees who are content with fifteen days leave far outnumber those who wish twice that much.

**FERRYBOAT COLUMBIA IN DOCK.**—The Washington and Alexandria ferry steamer Columbia arrived at Woodall's wharf, Baltimore, Sunday, to be loaded and thoroughly repaired. Mr. John B. Padgett, superintendent of the company, went around in the boat and remained until she was docked. The Columbia was built by Woodall & Co., in 1891.

**THE FAIR.**—A large representation of the fire department attended the Infantry fair last night. A number of students from the Episcopal High School were also present. The introduction of paddles, to disperse of the large stack of contributions, did much to entice the crowd. Tonight is designated "Civic Organization Night," and a large attendance is looked for. The company will do concert duty. Special interest is being taken in the voting contest. The business ring voted by Porto Rico, was won last night by Frank Raymond, illustrious Potentate of Shriner.

**RUNAWAY.**—The horse attached to Mr. Joseph Hartbauer's milk wagon ran away in front of that gentleman's home across Hunting creek, between six and seven o'clock this morning. Before the animal was stopped it had reached Hunting creek bridge. About fifteen gallons of milk were spilled in the road, some eggs smashed and the wagon considerably damaged.

**POLICE COURT.**—There were three unimportant and uninteresting cases before the Mayor this morning—all colored people who had been arrested on one charge or another. They were quickly disposed of by the assessment of proper fines. Thirteen lodgers were accommodated at the station house during the night.

**THE WEATHER.**—The rainy weather of yesterday gave place to a cold wave during last night, and this morning the thermometer had fallen to 18°. A fierce northwest wind cleared the sky of all semblance of clouds. Considerable ice formed in exposed places, although but little, apart from that on the flats and docks, is in the river.

**SPRAINED HIS ANKLE.**—Mr. T. N. Edly, telegraph operator at the signal station of the Southern Railway depot in this city, sprained his ankle yesterday morning by jumping from a shifting engine. He was conveyed to his home where he received surgical attention.

In the Corporation Court today a final decision was entered in the case of Wheatley, adm'r, vs. Thomas Hayes et al.

*E. W. Grove*

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. The tablets cure a cold in one day.

## DRY GOODS.

## Woodward &amp; Lothrop

10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

Until Further Notice This Store Will Close at 5:30 P. M.

## End-of-Season Sale

Today and tomorrow for the purpose of disposing of all classes of winter merchandise now in stock. And many are at half prices; some even less.

## Ready-to-Wear Outergarments

(Women's and Girl's.)

Tailor-made Walking Suits in the neat p/n stripe cheviot; Norfolk jackets; sizes 34, 36 and 38.

\$15.00. Were \$25.00.

Very Fine Venetian Cloth, English-made Regalia; sizes 32 to 40.

\$21.00. Were \$35.00.

Tailor-made Regalia of rich Kersey cloth; sizes 32, 34, 36 and 38.

\$18.50. Were \$25.00.

Little Girls' Three-quarter Winter Cloaks; all are silk lined throughout; sizes 8 to 14.

\$9.75. Were \$15 and \$16.50.

Girls' Heavy Winter Garments, consisting of Reefers, Box Coats, Jackets and Three-quarter Coats; sizes 4 to 12.

\$4.75. Were \$8.75 to \$12.50.

Third floor.

## End-of-Season Sale in Millinery Department.

Clearance Sale of Imported Dress Garments, Hair Ornaments, Millinery Ornaments, Gun Metal, Rhinestone and Jet Rocks, Odds and Ends of Spangled and Jeweled Nets and Crowns, short ends of Ribbons and various other classes of Millinery Goods.

HALF AND LESS THAN HALF.

Included also are Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, at great price reductions.

## End-of-Season Sale in Men's Department.

House Coats in an incomplete line of sizes, reduced as follows:

\$3.00. Were \$4.25.

\$5.00. Were \$8.75.

\$6.50. Were \$10.00.

\$7.00. Were \$14.00.

## Winter Night Shirts.

of heavy muslin, and cut four inches longer than the usual night shirt—sizes 15 and 17 only.

64c. Were 85c.

## WOODWARD &amp; LOTHROP.

10th, 11th &amp; F Sts., n. w.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25c.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The City Council meets tonight.

In the Corporation Court today Clarence C. Lovdhamer was appointed administrator of the estate of Emily Adams, deceased.

The Western Steamboat Company has awarded the contract for the new steamer Middlesex to Neale & Levy, of Philadelphia.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Beverly Starnard, Middlebrook, Va., and Ella Virginia Cox, Orange county, Va.

Belle Haven Council, J. O. U. A. M., held an interesting meeting last night. At the close of the meeting the members and their guests partook of an oyster supper at Rammer's restaurant.

The remains of the late Augustus B. Swartz, whose death occurred at Belle Haven Hospital on Saturday, were shipped today by Mr. B. Wheatley to Parkers Ford, Pa., where the interment will take place.

Dr. Bull's Celebrated Pills cures many ills. One pill a dose. Box, 50 pills, 10c. Cure Constipation, Liver Troubles, Dyspepsia, Impure Blood, Poor Blood, Female Complaints, Stomach and Bowel Disorders. Dr. Bull's Pills never gripe. Sold by Richard Gibson and all druggists.

## Pneumonia Prevented.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and la grippe during the past few years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia.

Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue, Chicago, one of the most prominent retail druggists in that city, in speaking of this, says: "We recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe in many cases, as it not only gives prompt and complete recovery, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia." For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

Child Worth Millions.

"My child is worth millions to me," says Mrs. Mary Bird of Harrisburg, Pa., "yet I would have lost her by croup had I not purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure."

One Minute Cough Cure is sure cure for croup, croup and throat and lung troubles. An absolutely safe cough cure which acts immediately. The youngest child can take it with entire safety. The little ones like the taste and remember how often it helped them. Every family should have a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure handy. At this season especially it may be needed suddenly. For sale by Richard Gibson & Sons.

## AMUSEMENTS.

## OPERA HOUSE

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 30.

Entertainment Under the Auspices of the

## MEN'S AID SOCIETY

OF THE

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Miss Edith M. Norton

(Humorous and Dramatic Reciter),

Assisted by the Birenham Quartette, of Washington, composed of

Messrs. BIRCH, RENCH, HICKS &amp; MOORE.

General Admission 25c | Reserved Seats 35c.

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## PURE VINEGAR AND SPICES for pickling

for sale at J. C. MILBURN'S.

DRY GOODS.

## Umbrellas,

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## Umbrellas.

Now is Your Time to Buy.

Don't Take Any Chances and Wait Until It's too Late But Call At

## YOUR FIRST Opportunity.

900 Umbrellas to be Slaughtered at Nearly Give-Away Prices.

250 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, actual worth 50c. Your choice.....29c

240 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, actual worth 75c. Your choice.....48c

148 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, gloria silk, actual worth \$1.00. Your choice.....99c

97 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, gloria silk, actual worth \$1.25. Your choice.....95c

74 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, gloria silk, actual worth \$1.50. Your choice.....1.19

52 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, gloria silk, actual worth \$1.75 and \$2.00. Your choice.....1.39

39 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, gloria silk, actual worth \$2.50. Your choice.....1.98

You can purchase any of the above on two days' trial. After that time if they are not to your entire satisfaction, bring them back and your money will be cheerfully refunded. "Can we do more?"

We have numerous other goods to close out. If you are so kind for bargains come to us.

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Important Announcement Concerning

New Embroideries and White Goods.

We are pleased to announce that our preparations for 1902 have been upon a broader and greater scale than ever before. We are enabled to offer a greater variety of exclusive styles in novel designs, prices being interestingly low. We have produced some very remarkable novelties in

Sets, Wide Flouncing, Blind Edgings, Galloons, Ribbon

Beadings, Insertions, etc.

Lace and White Goods Department.

Keeping pace with the times we have imported a finer line of Laces and White Goods than has ever before been shown by us.

Wash Goods Department.

In our Wash Goods we have the most extensive line ever shown. Among some of the new things is

WELSH FLANNEL,

a new waist cloth, 36 inches wide, in beautiful new designs, only

15c a Yard.

## I. Schwarz &amp; Son,

518 King Street.

## HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS

## HOTEL APPICH.

The Hotel Appich, 711 King street, under the management of Mr. WM. H. STEUER NAGEL, is now prepared to receive permanent, transient or table boarders.

A feature of the house will be a BUSINESS MAN'S LUNCH, which is served daily from 12 m. to 2 p. m.

The LADIES' CAFE has been handsomely fitted up and rendered very attractive, while the upper rooms have been thoroughly renovated, combining luxury with comfort.

Patrons of this hotel are assured of prompt and courteous attention.

Quality Established Our Reputation.

The Stock of New York Mill Ponds Having Been Exhausted, We Will From the Present Furnish Our Patrons With the Famous

New York Rockaway ON HALF SHELL.

Delicious Fried Oysters

Rammel's Restaurant.

Home Phone 63. Bell Phone 169

## WANTS.

WANTED—A GOOD TENANT for house 602 south Washington street. In good order; five rooms; rent moderate. Apply at 113 north Royal street. Jan 28 31

## Ledgers,

Day Books, Journals, from 50 to 1,000 pages, bound in leather, cloth and canvas.

## Grocery

and Butcher Books from 20c to 90c per dozen. Memorandum and Pocket Books.

## Inks,

Quarts, Pints, 1/2 Pints and 2-ounce Cones. (Stafford's, Carter's and Paul's.)

Long Bill, Ledger and Journal Paper. (By the quire or ream.)

All kind of Blank Stock.

## Stationery.

Some of the prettiest gifts ever displayed in this city, from 5c to 75c per pound.

Pencils, Penholders and Pens. Also agent for Waterman's Fountain Pens.

Jan 16 3w

## FOR SALE

A LARGE FIRE PROOF SAFE, 7 or 8 feet high. A bargain. Can be seen in rear office, 313 King street. Jan 28 31

## DRY GOODS.

## D. Bendheim &amp; Sons,

316 KING STREET.

## Great Slaughter Sale

Of Five Hundred WHITE Bed Spreads.

We bought the entire stock of a large Philadelphia factory and have assorted them out. We have made two separate lots and prices.

First Lot 250.

Your choice at 50c.

Second Lot 250.

Your choice at 75c. They are worth double the money. This sale is strictly at

Cash Prices.

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Sporting Goods Always on Hand.

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## SWAN BROS.

316 KING STREET.

## All winter goods must be closed out quickly in order to give room for spring merchandise. We have greatly reduced entire stock of Ladies' Men's and Children's Underwear. Blankets, Comforts, Ladies' and Men's Flannelette Night Robes, Infants' Silk Caps, Ladies' Wool Underskirts, Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers, etc., etc.

## Infants' Silk Caps

Reduced.

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